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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
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Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *In the Matter of Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization, WC Docket No. 11-42*
Notice for Forbearance from Lifeline BIAS Requirements

Dear Ms. Dortch,

In accordance with the Commission's 2016 Reform Order,¹ Charter Communications Inc., on behalf of its affiliates Time Warner Cable Information Services (California), LLC d/b/a Time Warner Cable and Time Warner Cable Information Services (New York), LLC d/b/a Time Warner Cable, ("Charter Affiliates") which are eligible telecommunications carriers ("ETCs"), hereby submits this Notice of Forbearance from Lifeline broadband Internet access service ("BIAS") Requirements.

Time Warner Cable Information Services (California), LLC d/b/a Time Warner Cable was designated a Lifeline-only ETC by the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California on March 27, 2014, Decision 14-03-038.

¹ *Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization Third Report and Order, Further Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration*, WC Docket No. 11-42 (rel. April 27, 2016) ("2016 Reform Order").



Time Warner Cable Information Services (New York), LLC d/b/a Time Warner Cable was designated a Lifeline-only ETC by the State of New York Public Service Commission on March 18, 2013, CASE 12-C-0510.

The Charter Affiliates identified above have been designated as ETCs and hereby accept the FCC's forbearance relief from any requirement to offer Lifeline discounts on BIAS within their ETC service areas.

The Charter Affiliates receive no CAF II high-cost support and seek blanket forbearance in all of the Census Blocks within their ETC service areas. The Charter Affiliates provide a list of affected Census Blocks with this Notice.²

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Clifford S. Harris", followed by a long horizontal line.

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Attachment

cc: Garnet Hanly

² See FCC *Public Notice*, DA 16-1133 (October 3, 2016). Charter seeks blanket forbearance in all census blocks within the Charter Affiliates' ETC service areas. In the event that any census blocks were inadvertently omitted, Charter reserves the right to supplement this filing and correct any such omissions.